

WILL BECOME BISHOP MONDAY

Consecration of Dr. Harding to Be Impressive.

TAKES PLACE IN TRINITY

Bishop Tuttle, of Missouri, Will Preside at Ceremonial.

Solemn Procession of Bishops, Priests, Deacons, and Laymen Will Mark the Opening of the Services, Which Will Move in Three Sections—Services Will Begin in Trinity Church at 11 o'clock.

To-morrow in Trinity Church, with the solemn ceremonial and impressive ritual of the Episcopal branch of the Holy Catholic Church, Alfred Harding, D. D., rector of St. Paul's parish and canon of Washington, will be consecrated to the high office of bishop.

Then will be filled again the episcopal seat, which has been vacant ever since February 22, 1908, when the saintly Satterlee, first Bishop of Washington, was called to his rest, after an all too brief episcopate of twelve years.

Before that date the city of Washington and the District of Columbia, and the four adjoining counties of Maryland, Montgomery, Prince George, Charles, and St. Mary, were under the episcopal jurisdiction of the bishops of Maryland, who had their residence in Baltimore, as does the present Bishop, Right Rev. William Paré.

Formerly in Maryland Diocese, Washington has thus been under the episcopal care of six bishops of Maryland, of whom the first, Thomas John Claggett, D. D., who was consecrated September 17, 1792, has the singular distinction of being the first bishop consecrated within United States.

Before his consecration bishops were wont to cross the seas for consecration, and among those who did this were Bishop Seabury, consecrated in Scotland, and Bishops White, Crockett, and Madison, consecrated in Scotland. With these four bishops in the country, there was no impediment, canonical or otherwise, to the handing on of the apostolic line.

It is true that one bishop validly consecrated can himself consecrate another, but it has never been the practice of the church to avail herself of this power. She has always required three or more, one as consecrating prelate, the others as assistants or co-consecrators.

When Bishop Satterlee was consecrated there were no less than three bishops assisting in the act. There will be several when Bishop-elect Harding is set aside to the same high office.

Bishop Tuttle Will Preside.
The presiding bishop, Most Rev. Daniel Sylvester Tuttle, Bishop of Missouri, presiding bishop of the church in the United States, an archbishop, in fact, though not in title, will be the consecrator.

All the bishops present on the occasion will lay their hands on the head of the new bishop, thus joining in the work of consecration. Some of these bishops will have special parts assigned them, besides. The Bishops of Central Pennsylvania and the Bishop of Ohio are to present the bishop-elect to the presiding bishop; the Bishop of Kentucky will preach the sermon; the Bishops of New Jersey and Pittsburgh will take a chief part in the laying on of hands.

Several testimonials must first be read in the hearing of the assembled congregation; that of election, by Rev. Arthur S. Johns, secretary of the Diocese of Washington; that of ordination to the priesthood by the Archdeacon of Washington and secretary to the standing committee, and the consents of the standing committee, by Rev. Dr. R. H. McKim. Brig. Gen. John M. Wilson, U. S. A., has been assigned the distinguished honor of taking the only public part of a layman in the proceedings, namely, that of reading the canonical testimonials.

Procession in Three Sections.
The procession of bishops, priests, deacons, and laymen will be formed at 10:45 o'clock in the Parish Hall, the Rev. George F. Dudley being marshal in charge. It will move in three sections; heading all will be the crucifer.

Immediately following the crucifer, the first section, consisting of:
The choir.

Students of the Theological Seminary of Virginia.

Lady delegates to the diocesan convention.

Lady members of the cathedral council.

Rev. C. F. Holmes in special charge of this section, assisted by Mr. Charles T. Warner, in charge of the students of the Virginia Seminary; Mr. James L. Weaver, and Mr. James H. Taylor, in charge of the lay members of the cathedral council.

Section 2, in charge of Rev. W. J. D. Thomas, as assistant marshal, consists of:

The lay readers of the diocese, in charge of Mr. R. D. Covell.

The visiting clergy, in charge of Rev. C. S. Abbott, Rev. G. Freeland Peter, and Rev. Wallace N. Pierson.

The faculty of the Virginia Seminary, in charge of Rev. J. Henning Nels.

The standing committee of the Diocese of Maryland; the clergy of the Diocese of Washington.

Section 3, preceded by the mace bearer, consists of:

The chapter of the Cathedral of Washington.

Crucifer.

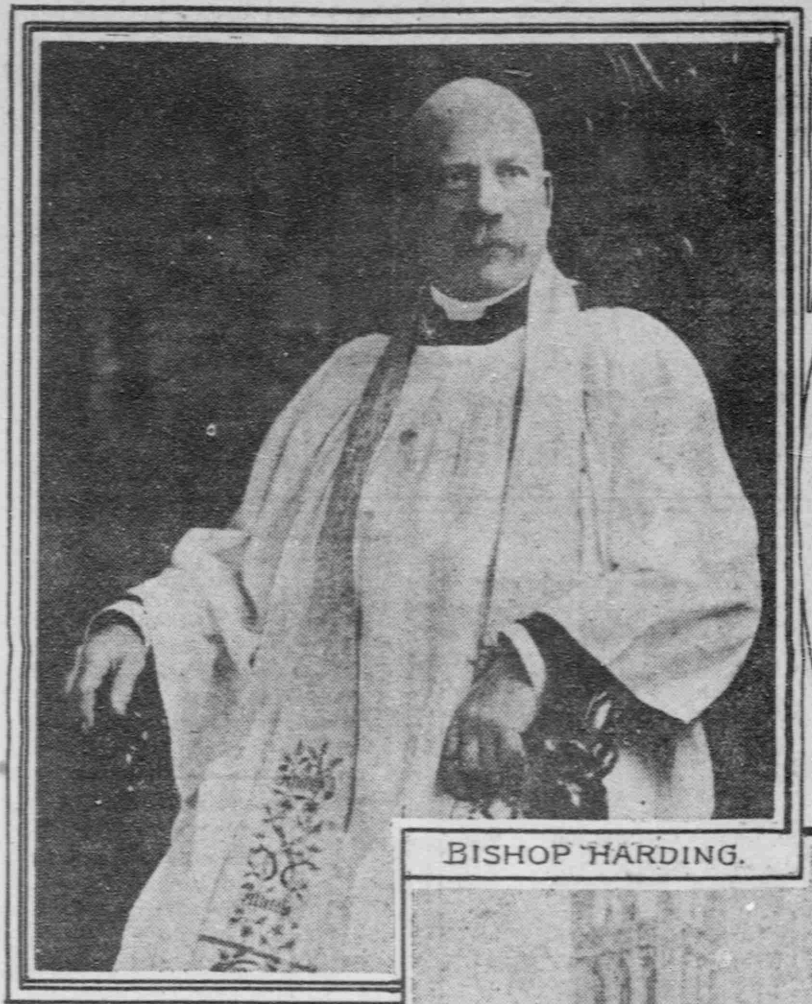
Bishop-elect and attending presbyters.

Bishops.

Presiding bishop.

Rev. J. W. Clark will be in charge of the standing committee, of Maryland.

PROMINENT IN EPISCOPAL CONSECRATION CEREMONIES TO-MORROW.



BISHOP HARDING.



BISHOP TUTTLE.



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Archdeacon Graham and Rev. C. B. C. Shears in charge of the diocesan clergy; Rev. William Taylor Snyder, of the standing committee, Diocese of Washington; the four testimonialists; Rev. R. Cotton Smith and Frederick B. Howden, of the bishops.

Following is the order of services.

Order of Services.

First the processional hymns; then will follow the holy communion. The Ten Commandments will be omitted. The summary of the law will be read, followed by the singing of the shorter Kyrie.

Then will follow the reading of the collect, epistle, and gospel.

After the Nicene creed, Bishop Charles E. Woodcock, of Kentucky, will deliver the sermon.

The order of consecration follows:

The presentation of the candidate (the choir and congregation standing).

The testimonials of the candidate (the choir and congregation sitting).

The certificate of election.

The canonical testimonial.

The certificates of ordination.

The consents of the standing committee.

The consents of the bishops.

Readers of testimonials will be:

The certificate of election, Rev. Arthur S. Johns, secretary of the Diocese of Washington.

The canonical testimonial, by John M. Wilson, U. S. A., brigadier general, U. S. A., retired, lay deputy in the diocesan convention.

The certificates of ordination, by Rev. John P. Williams, Archdeacon of Washington, secretary of the standing committee.

The consents of the standing committee, by Rev. Randolph H. McKim, D. D., LL. D., D. C. L., president of the standing committee, Diocese of Washington.

Then Bishop Harding will repeat the "Promise of Conformity," as follows:

"In the name of God, Amen. I, Alfred Harding, chosen bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Washington, do promise conformity and obedience to the doctrine, discipline, and worship of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America. So help me God, through Jesus Christ."

The adding to prayer, the reading of the Litany, the prayer for the candidate, and the examination of the candidate will follow, with the choir and congregation sitting.

Then the bishop-elect put on the rest of the episcopal habit, during which the choir will sing the following anthem: "How lovely are the messengers that preach us the gospel of peace! To all nations is gone forth the sound of their words, throughout all the lands their glad tidings."

With the choir and congregation kneeling, "Veni Creator Spiritus" will be sung.

The Laying-on of Hands.

The second prayer for the candidate will then be read, which will be followed by the interesting ceremony of laying-on of hands. During this ceremony the choir and congregation will stand.

The consecrators will be:

Right Rev. Daniel Sylvester Tuttle, D. D., LL. D., D. C. L., Bishop of Missouri, presiding bishop of the church in the United States.

Right Rev. John Scarborough, D. D., LL. D., Bishop of New Jersey.

Right Rev. Leonard Whitehead, D. D., Bishop of Pittsburgh.

The presenters will be Right Rev. Ethelbert Talbot, D. D., LL. D., Bishop of Central Pennsylvania, and Right Rev. William A. Leonard, D. D., Bishop of Ohio.

The attending presbyters will be Rev. Walter A. Mitchell and Rev. James B. Craighill.

The delivery of the Bible to the newly ordained bishop will follow.

Following is the order of the remainder of the service for the holy communion:

The offertory—The alms of the congregation are asked for missionary work in the Diocese of Washington under the direction of the bishop.

Offertory anthem—"Whoso dwelleth under the shadow of the Most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty. I will say unto the Lord, Thou art my hope and my stronghold; my God, in Him will I trust." He shall defend thee under His wings, and thou shalt be safe under His feathers; his faithfulness and truth shall be thy shield and buckler."

The presentation of the alms and oblation.

The doxology.

The prayer for Christ's church militant.

Then shall follow the remainder of the service for the communion.

The Committees.

Committees having in charge the consecration are:

Standing committee—Rev. Randolph H. McKim, D. D., LL. D., president; Rev.



BISHOP WHITEHEAD, S. L. D., The Bishop of Pittsburg.

Alfred Harding, D. D., Rev. Richard P. Williams, Rev. Thomas J. Packard, D. D., Melville Church, esq., J. Holdsworth Gordon, esq., Charles H. Stanley, esq.

Committee of arrangements—On behalf of the cathedral group, Canon Bratton, D. D., Rev. James H. B. Blake, Canon De Vries, Ph. D., Rev. George F. Dudley, Rev. Edward S. Dunlap, Rev. C. Ernest Smith, D. D., D. C. L., Archdeacon R. P. Williams.

Will Begin Bethlehem Chapel.

Among the episcopal duties which will fall to Bishop Harding, will be the cathedral project.

On Mount St. Alban, early in the spring, the Bethlehem Chapel of the Nativity, which is part of the cathedral structure, will be begun. Hope is expressed that after the commencement of that work it will go forward. Five million dollars will be required to finish it.

The cathedral on Mount St. Alban is to be a national cathedral. Bishop Harding will see that in every particular the plans of Bishop Satterlee are carried out to the letter. It is pointed out that hard work and perseverance will be necessary to raise funds for this building, but the bishop has the assurance that the members of his church will support him.

THREE BISHOPS TO SPEAK.

Missiary Mass Meeting Will Be Held at Convention Hall.

Preliminary to the consecration of Rev. Dr. Alfred Harding, as Episcopal Bishop of Washington to-morrow, a missionary mass meeting will be held in Convention Hall this afternoon.

The meeting is, first of all, the carrying out of a plan being pursued by the church throughout the United States, to have great meetings in the chief cities of each missionary department to awaken interest in the church's greatest work.

It was planned at this time because the beloved first Bishop of Washington always felt that the missionary cause was of first importance in every endeavor, and it seemed fitting that the first undertaking of his successor should be along those lines. It was thought a great opportunity to present the work of the church in the city, and in the nation, and in the world, when there would be gathered in Washington so many of the great leaders and eloquent speakers of the church.

Three of the foremost speakers among the bishops—Bishop Darlington, Bishop Talbot, and Bishop Woodcock—will be in attendance. The great missionary career of Bishop Talbot is well known. It is hoped to arouse much interest in missions among the people of Washington. Every nation has its representatives in Washington, every State has its forefathers, and as a city "set on a hill," whatever the people do influences people elsewhere to a great degree. The Young Men's Christian Association in Washington has had this truth borne in upon them.

As this is the prelude to the consecration of the second Bishop of Washington, it has been considered a favorable opportunity to ask for contributions for church extension. The bishop-elect hopes

the church people of Washington will make their contributions as generous as possible so they may be added to what will be offered at the consecration service and give him something in hand with which to begin the work of church extension.

The programme of the meeting to-day is as follows:

Opening hymn, 10.

Scripture lesson, Isaiah, 1st.

Hymn 20.

Apostle's Creed.

Prayer.

Introductory address, Rt. Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle.

"The city for Christ," Rt. Rev. James H. B. Blake.

"The nation for Christ," Rt. Rev. Ethelbert Talbot.

"The world for Christ," Rt. Rev. Charles E. Woodcock.

Offering, Hymn 60.

Benediction.

Closing, Hymn 150.

NO SUNDAY ADDRESS.

Y. M. C. A. Members Will Attend Services at Convention Hall.

The regular Sunday afternoon address at the Y. M. C. A. will not take place to-day, because of the large number of members who will attend the services at Convention Hall at 2:30 o'clock, where several bishops of the Episcopal Church, who are here to attend the consecration of Rev. Alfred Harding, D. D., will be present.

This afternoon's meeting is nonsectarian, and all Christian workers throughout the city have been invited to take part.

The subjects of the addresses are: "The city," "The nation," and "The world for Christ." The speakers will be Bishop Darlington, of Harrisburg; Bishop Talbot, of Central Pennsylvania, and Bishop Woodcock, of Kentucky.

Music will be furnished by the Marine Band, under the leadership of Lieut. Santelmann.

PAPERS READ TO SOCIETY.

Biological Body Holds Regular Meeting at Cosmos Club.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Biological Society of Washington, at the Cosmos Club last night, papers bearing on scientific subjects were read, after which Dr. John C. Everman, of the Department of Agriculture, gave an address on "Federal control of fisheries."

He dwelt on legislation effected in the States and Canada in regard to fish, game, and birds. He favored laws that would be as effective in one State as another.

An interesting paper was read by Dr. F. Phillips on the bee industry. He said that, outside of scientific bodies, it was not generally known that bees are subject to diseases. New York State, he said, had done much in exterminating the disease germs.

ARKANSAS SOCIETY FORMED.

Western State Residents Elect Organization by Electing Officers.

About fifty residents of the State of Arkansas met at the Pythian Temple last evening for the purpose of forming an Arkansas Club.

A temporary organization was effected by the election of Representative John C. Floyd chairman and Charles M. Clark secretary. A committee of five was appointed on resolutions, consisting of E. L. Givens, Miss A. L. Summerville, Mrs. R. Buchanan, Mrs. P. Kinson, and Miss Pickering.

A musical programme was given. This was a feature of future gatherings. It is predicted that the club will compare favorably with any of its kind in the city.

ADDRESS STATE CLUB.

Missouri Natives Hear Speech by Representative Alexander.

The regular monthly meeting of the Missouri Club was held last evening at the Pythian Temple, there being the usual large attendance. Lee T. Robinson presided.

J. W. Alexander, Representative of the Third Missouri district, was the speaker, giving an address on "Missouri." He told of political ideals and development of the country, and ended with a tribute to Gov. J. W. Folk, and his successor, F. H. Hadley, governor-elect.

A musical programme consisting of a vocal solo by Miss Ruby Thurnmond; a piano selection by Miss Elizabeth Winston, and a vocal solo by E. A. Lange, was given. Refreshments followed and a social hour was indulged in, "Missouri" being the watchword.

AERO CLUB FORMED AT THE CAPITAL

Secretary of Navy Newberry Elected President.

PROJECT STARTED AT BANQUET

Officers Elected, Constitution Adopted, and By-laws Submitted for Further Consideration—Committee Appointed to Receive Contributions for Memorial Shaft to Selfridge.

Washington has an Aero Club which was organized yesterday afternoon in the office of Brig. Gen. James Allen, chief signal officer of the army, at the War Department. Truman H. Newberry, Secretary of the Navy, was elected president; Robert Shaw, Oliver, Assistant Secretary of War, first vice president; Thomas Nelson Page, the well-known novelist and writer, second vice president, and Representative Butler Ames, of Massachusetts, third vice president.

The other officers chosen were as follows: Corresponding secretary, Dr. Alton S. Cushman, of the Agricultural Department; recording secretary, Dr. A. F. Zahm, of the Catholic University of America; treasurer, C. J. Bell, and a board of trustees, as follows: Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, Brig. Gen. A. W. Greely, U. S. A., retired; Prof. W. L. Moore, of the Weather Bureau, and John Barrett, director of the Bureau of American Republics.

Charter Members.

Among the charter members of the club are Dr. David Fairchild, of the Bureau of Plant Industry; Otto H. Tittmann, of the Geodetic Survey; Lieut. Richard B. Creedy, U. S. M. C.; C. L. Marlett, chief of the Bureau of Entomology; Lieut. C. C. Sweet, U. S. N., of the Bureau of Equipment; Col. Charles S. Brownell, superintendent of public buildings and grounds; Representative Herbert Parsons, of New York; Clarence R. Wilson; Lieut. F. P. Lahm, U. S. A.; George O. Totten, Jr.; Jerome Fanchilli, of the Associated Press, and Russell H. McLennan, of the New York Herald.

Many others prominent in army, navy, and official life have signified their intention of joining the new club. Among them are Maj. Gen. J. Franklin Bell, Chief of Staff of the army; Gifford Pinchot, chief of the Forestry Service; Dr. Charles D. Walcott, of the Smithsonian Institution; Brig. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, U. S. A., chief of the Bureau of Air Affairs; Gen. George H. Harries, commanding the militia of the District of Columbia, and many others.

Started at Banquet.

The project of forming an aero club was given birth at a banquet tendered to Orville Wright, the famous aviator, and Capt. Thomas S. Baldwin, who supplied the United States army with dirigible No. 1, which was given at the National Press Club last summer. The organization committee named at that time consisted of Dr. Zahm, Brig. Gen. Allen, Augustus Post, secretary of the Aero Club of America, and Mr. McLennan. Owing to Mr. Post's inability to be in Washington his place was filled by Maj. G. O. Squier, of the Signal Corps, and the following were added to the committee: Dr. Cushman, as secretary; C. J. Bell, as the treasurer; Dr. Fairchild, and Prof. W. L. Moore. Gen. Allen was made chairman of the committee.

At yesterday's meeting, after the formal organization of the club and the adoption of the constitution, the officers were elected, by-laws were submitted, and after discussion and amendment referred to the board of managers for further consideration and adoption. A committee, composed of Gen. Allen, Dr. Zahm, and Gen. Oliver was named to verify Mr. Newberry's election as president of the club. It is understood that Mr. Newberry, owing to his extensive plans for the summer, which will take him abroad for months, will be able to serve as president for a short time only.

Provision was made in the constitution for ten honorary members, who will consist of the President of the United States and such senators, scientists, and aviators as may be named by the board of management of the club.

For Memorial Shaft.

A committee of the Aero Club of America, with which the Washington club will be affiliated, has been appointed to receive contributions for a memorial shaft to Lieut. Thomas E. Selfridge, U. S. A., who was killed in the accident to the Wright aeroplane at Fort Myer last September. On the committee are Glen H. Curtiss, Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, and Lieut. Lahm. Contributions are to be sent to Charles J. Edwards, treasurer of the Aero Club of America, at 12 East Forty-second street, New York City. Many contributions have been received from abroad as well as from all parts of the United States. The shaft will be erected either in Arlington Cemetery, near the Selfridge monument, or on the spot where the Wright aeroplane fell on the parade grounds at Fort Myer. The latter spot is favored by the majority of those interested.

Officers of the Signal Corps are still hopeful that something may be done at this session of Congress to supply money for the promotion of aeronautics in the United States army. They refuse to believe that the action of the subcommittee on appropriations of the House Appropriations Committee in striking out the appropriation for aeronautics is final.

"NUTMEG" MEN MEET.

Connecticut Club of Washington Gives Annual Smoker.

The annual smoker of the Connecticut Club of Washington was held last evening at the G. A. R. Hall, Henry M. Camp, for several years president of the organization, was in the chair.

The principal address was given by James T. Du Bois, who spoke on "The political situation in Connecticut." "The political situation in Connecticut" was discussed by M. E. O'Brien, and Capt. H. Buckingham also spoke. Henry P. Holden, of Cincinnati, gave a talk on the character and early life of Mr. Taft.

After the social session, a short business meeting was held, at which the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, H. M. Camp; vice president, E. J. Thompson; secretary, George N. Stranahan; board of directors from the first district, O. S. Firman; second district, E. A. Hill; third district, E. M. Tabor; fourth district, D. S. Bliss; board of directors from the State at large, C. O. Buckingham, P. J. Sheehan, and F. T. Knight.

Refreshments were served.

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COMMANDER BROWNE HERE.

Attends Meeting of Council of Army and Navy Union.

J. Edwin Browne, of Baltimore, newly appointed national commander, attended a meeting of the council of administration of the Army and Navy Union yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Reuter. The new officer issued several orders of interest to members of the union, and gave his promise to be in Washington at the time of the celebration, on February 15. He urged the local men to build up the order in this city.

The council disposed of a quantity of routine business.

JAPANESE WED IN BALTIMORE

Mr. Henry Satow, Washington Art Dealer, the Bridegroom.

Miss Ichi Misumi, the Bride, Prominent in Affairs of Y. W. C. A. in Maryland City.

Mr. Henry Satow, manager of the Japan Art Company, in F street, and Miss Ichi Misumi, both natives of Japan, were married on Wednesday last at the Young Woman's Christian Association, Baltimore.

In the presence of many friends and members of the association the ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. J. Houston Johnston, the Episcopal marriage service being read.

By the lavish use of white and yellow chrysanthemums and stately palms the rooms where the ceremony took place presented a scene of real Japanese beauty.

The bride was given away by Mrs. Charles Latrobe, vice president of the association. The couple was unattended.

Following the marriage service there was an informal reception. The couple then departed on a wedding trip, the destination of which is kept a secret. Upon their return they will reside in Washington.

The element of Japanese atmosphere was heightened by the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Takezaro Nakao, friends of the couple, who were in the quantity beautiful costumes of the Land of the Chrysanthemum. Mrs. Charles Latrobe, vice president of the association, gave the bride away.

Many presents were received by the bride, who is extremely popular and beloved by the members of the association, as well as by the officials. She is a charming little lady, with the great, soft black almond eyes and raven hair of her people, and is typically Japanese. She has been at the association over two years, and perfected herself in the art of dressmaking. It was her original intention to go back to Japan and teach the sartorial art as practiced in this country to her native people.

EXAMINATIONS TO BE HELD.

Nearly 300 Boys and Girls Will Try for Higher Grades in Schools.

Nearly 300 boys and girls will take the examinations for the higher grades next Friday. The board of education long ago decided it was a waste of time to wait until the end of the school year, when the pupils were for enough advanced in the month of January to go into higher grades.

This year's graduating classes are larger than in several years.

When the second part of the year begins there will be many transfers of teachers whose resignations have been accepted by the board.

In school circles the question of a teachers' retiring fund is still being discussed, and meetings will be held during the next ten days to further consider the matter.

ELKS TO GIVE MINSTREL SHOW.

Olio to Include Marine Band, with Dancing to Follow.

Local Elks are anticipating the minstrel performance